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A PORTRAIT.

The mason's hand is rough and scarred,
His brow, close bent above the stone,
With lines of strenuous toil is plowed,
Small case his honest years have known.
For labor claims him as his own.

With skillful hand he carves and chips,
His chisel on the hard stone rings,
The gray dust flies about his head,
And ever at his work he sings.
A simple crown of boyhood's day,
Timing his chisel to the lay.

And all in reverence I pause
Where he sits careless on the stone;
I hail him one of Labor's kings,
The humble sent his rightful throne.
For yesterday beneath his blow,
Wondering, I saw an angel glow.

—Grace Atterton Dennen in Youth's Companion.

LITTLE MRS. HOPE

By M. Quad.

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There were 20 of us making up the

party at an English country house for

the shooting season, and it so happened

that while all were of course well

known to host and hostess seven or

eight were strangers to each other un-

til introduced at the house. I do not

think there were over three or four

who even knew little Mrs. Hope by

name or could tell anything of her

past. Nor did a great deal leak out

about her father after she had been

generally introduced and had come to

be a favorite with both men and wom-

en. She was, petite and blond. She

had a baby face and big blue eyes, and

your first impression of her was that

she was a child, and a very innocent

child at that. In the billiard room it

was whispered that she was a distant

relative of Colonel Saunders, our host,

and that she had married a scamp and

been so ill used that a divorce had been

sought for. It was generally agreed

that it must have all been the hus-

band's fault and that the man who

would fill treat such a light hearted,

baby faced wife deserved something

beyond contempt. She was by long

odds the best looking woman among

the eight or ten, but as she was not

given to flirtation and as she looked

pretty without artificial means she was

forgotten for her handsome face and be-

came a general favorite.

The man who leaves business for a

week or two for an outing seldom

takes along jewelry or money of any

account, but nine women out of ten

must carry their diamonds wherever

they go. There was a brave display of

gems at Rose Hill with all except little

Mrs. Hope. She had two or three fin-

ger rings and a bracelet or two and

made a poor showing compared to the

rest. This was corroborative evidence

that she was none too well fixed finan-

cially, but she did not display the

slightest feeling of envy, and no hints

were thrown out to hurt her feelings.

A country house full of wealthy guests

is a bonanza for a nifty thief, and the

colonel warned the ladies from the out-

set to be careful of their jewelry. All

of them agreed not to upon the advice

and then, womanlike, carelessly left

every ornament lying about. On the

fourth day of the party a lady named

White missed three valuable rings

which had been left lying on a table in

her room. They had been taken in

brood daylight while the ladies were

on the lawn and while the maid was

temporarily absent from the room. It

was impossible that any outsider could

have got into the room, and it seemed

impossible to trace the theft to any

particular servant. Counting maids,

valets and the house retinue, there

were about 20 people in the house aside

from the guests. Mrs. White's loss was

kept a secret for several days from all

les. Of all the theories this was the

most absurd, but of course the man

felt bound to make a move of some

sort. The jewelry had been locked up

for four days, and things had quieted

down, when the colonel started to pro-

duce it in honor of a government offi-

cial who was to arrive that evening. I

say he started to, because he no sooner

attempted to unlock the safe than he

discovered that the bolts had been

ripped. As he pulled the door open he

uttered a groan, and the sight of his

haggard face was evidence enough

that something was wrong. The safe

had been opened by means of a key.

It had not been locked again. Every

article of jewelry was gone, and the

value of the lot was not a cent under

£10,000. In seeking to render his guests

safe the colonel had helped to despoil

them. It was impossible to say at

what date the robbery had happened,

and the only thing to do was to tele-

graph up to London for a detective.

While waiting his arrival no servant

was allowed off the grounds, and of

course no guest could well leave with

under fire. It was a painful position

for every one, and the detective rather

added to it when he got to work. As

soon as he was in possession of all the

facts he said to the colonel:

"These robberies were committed by

one of your guests. They must all as-

semble in the drawing room and sub-

mit to have their rooms searched."

Rather than subject them to such an

indignity the colonel offered to pay the

full loss out of his own pocket, but this

no one would hear of. All were willing

for the search to go on, and host, host-

ess and detective made it. Nothing

was found. The detective clung to his

theory, however, and took another look

at the rooms and was given the names

of their occupants. There were three

rooms which commended, and those

three were occupied by the colonel, his

wife and little Mrs. Hope. The door

between the rooms of the colonel and

Mrs. Hope was bolted on her side and

had been for years. This door caught

the eye of the detective, and after an

examination of the bolt he said:

"This bolt has been worked within

three or four days, as any locksmith

will tell you, and this door has also

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SONOMA, DECEMBER 1, 1900.

H. H. GRANICE - EDITOR

E. C. ARNOLD, the courteous route agent of the *Bulletin*, and well-known to the people of this valley, met with an episode in Maderia, the other day, that he will not soon forget. He attended a dance in that "wild and woolly" town and while looking on at the dancers he was approached by a drunken cowboy who insisted on his dancing a cake walk. Now Arnold, if anything, is dignified and he curtly refused to be made the butt of the ball room, whereat the cowboy drew his gun and commenced shooting at Arnold's toes. The latter had "sand in his craw," however, even if he does affect high-standing collars, kid gloves and genteel manners, and refused to be bullied by the ruffian. Later on he made his way out of the ball room unmolested and had the cowboy arrested and jailed for his gun play.

"TRUST your father's judgment of your men friends rather than your own at first," writes Helen Watterson Moody to girls, in the December *Ladies' Home Journal*. "The gay, witty, responsive young man who will probably most attract you, will not be the one who will be likely to have his serious consideration and respect. Talk over your men friends with your father, and see what healthy, unemotional, sane 'man-standards' he will set up for you. I really think if a girl could have but one counselor in her love affairs, it would better be her father than any one else. A man's mind is a great tonic to the somewhat diluted intellect of a girl in her first sentimental experiences."

AN old lady who wanted her daughter to take a course in music, says a witty exchange, took her to town, and after consulting a number of professors, returned home much discouraged, and reported to her husband the result of her expedition as follows: "The first professor said that Almiry sings too much with her borax. If she keeps on she will get digestion of the lungs; said she ought to try the abominable breathing. The next teacher told her she ought to sing with her diagram, and not smother her voice in the sarcophagus. The next he poked a looking glass down her throat, and said that the phalanx was too small, and the typhoid bone and polyglottis were in a bad way. I never knew Almiry had so many things the matter with her, and I'm afraid to let her sing any more."

The election of Hon. Frank L. Coombs to the Congress will cause a vacancy in the office of U. S. District Attorney for the Northern District of California, which position is now held by that gentleman. Among those who have been mentioned as Mr. Coombs' successor is Judge Barham of Santa Rosa, our present Congressman, whose term expires on the 4th of March. Mr. Barham is in every way fitted for the responsible position—able, dignified and learned in the law. His splendid record as a Congressman needs no encomiums from us.

THE American Type Founders' Company of San Francisco has issued a neatly-bound desk book of type specimens, borders, ornaments, etc. The book contains 1186 pages and is a valuable adjunct to the printing office. We acknowledge with thanks a copy of the book.

ONE of the peculiarities of married life, remarks an exchange, is that the head of the house will sit up until 3 A. M. watching for leonides without experiencing the slightest discomfort, but he will "kick like a bay steer" if asked to sit up with the baby.

CONGRESS will convene next Monday and continue in session until the 4th of March, when the President will be inaugurated and the new Congressmen will take their seats.

STANFORD defeated Berkeley in the intercollegiate foot ball game Thursday by a score of 5 to 0.

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THE OBSERVER.

"Mark Twain"
at the
Lotus Club

It is safe to say that the name "Mark Twain" is known to more people of all conditions, the world over, than any other in this century except that of some reigning sovereign or great war captain. For the past seven years he has been abroad lecturing and writing to earn money with which to pay the debts of the firm of Charles L. Webster and Co., of which he was a member. It was a high sense of honor that impelled him to make this struggle, a struggle that will redound to the honor of American manhood as that of Sir Walter Scott did to the honor of England. Upon his return to the United States, the Lotus Club of New York made him the guest of honor at the first dinner of the season, on the tenth of last month. He was gloriously received. The following extracts are from his speech in response to the address of welcome made by Frank R. Lawrence, who genially said: "Our Lotus Club season opens very happily, for we have just voted ourselves some years of prosperity; and Mark Twain has come home."

"I thank you all out of my heart. This reception is too great for a native of Missouri, and yet I am not the only Missourian here. Here is the greatest Missourian of all. Tom Reed has well concealed his birth until now. Indeed he says he has left politics and is leading a respectable life."

"How many things have happened in these seven years I have been away from home! We have fought a righteous war. * And then, again, we have nursed free silver. We've watched by the cradle. We've done our best to raise that child. And every time things seemed to be going well some mean Republican has come along and has given it the measles."

"We've tried a President for four years, criticised and found fault with him, and then we have turned around and elected him for another four years with enough votes to spare to do it again."

"Hereafter we will not stammer and be embarrassed when a stranger asks us the name of the Vice President. He is a man of the widest reputation, and he is in some quarters favorably known. I'm a little afraid that these fulsome compliments may be misunderstood; I've been away so long that I am not used to this complimentary business. I don't want to overdo it. I merely want to testify to my old, old admiration for my friend the Governor. I want to say of him, well, you know, if you give him rope—that is to say—" Here laughter ended the sentence.

"We have taken Chauncey Depew out of a useful and active life and have made him a Senator—embalmed him—corked him up. That man has said many a true thing about me. Whenever a man does that, something happens to him. Look at him now. Look at the gilded mummy. Palsied be the hand that draws that cork."

"But there has been another thing. (Here Twain sneered and was almost savage). The Daughters of the Royal Crown—there's an American ideal for you! God knows what specialized form of insanity it represents—it isn't softening of the brain; you can not soften a thing that does not exist. There are none eligible but the American descendants of Charles the Second. How the fancy product of that old harem still holds up!"

"Seven years ago when I was old, and worn, and down, I was your guest—you gave me the grip and the word that lifts a man up and makes him glad to be alive, and now I come back from my exile young again, fresh and alive, and ready to begin anew. Your welcome stirs me and warms me, and tells me it is real and not a beautiful dream that must vanish if I wake."

Personal Mention

Frido Clewe is up from the State University for a few days.

Will Clewe spent several days in the metropolis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ryland spent Thanksgiving with their mother Mrs. D. Duhring.

Robt. Bain, Frank McGill and his sister, Mrs. Hardy, attended the masquerade ball at Guerneville Thanksgiving eve.

Miss Jennie Anderson, after a visit with Sonoma friends, has gone to an Oakland sanitarium for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. C. Poppe, Sonoma's lady merchant, has recovered from a severe spell of illness. She is now able to be up and around.

Mrs. McHarvey and her daughter Mrs. Sadie Cordell contemplate moving into the cottage formerly occupied by Mrs. Millie Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf Haraszthy have returned from Nome and will spend the winter at "Willows Wild," the home of their mother.

Herbert L. Browne of Sacramento was the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred. W. Browne of Waldmere several days this week.

Little Raymond Poppe, who underwent an operation for an attack of deafness in San Francisco, has now fully recovered his hearing.

Thos. Tiernan, a veteran of the Civil war, came over from the Hein ranch, Brown's Valley, Napa county, Wednesday, and spent the day with Sonoma friends.

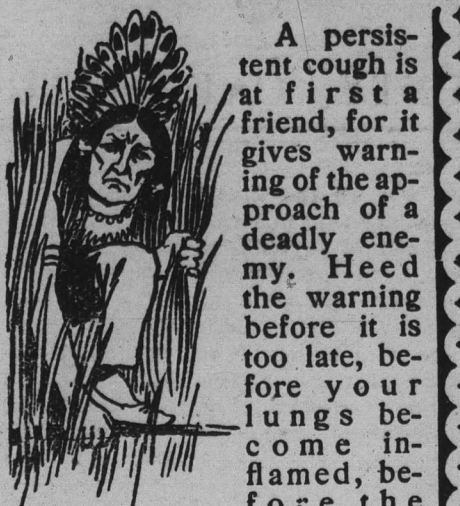
Mr. and Mrs. Granice and Miss Julie Granice attended the annual foot ball game between California and Stanford Universities on Thanksgiving day in San Francisco.

Mat Storn, the well-known horseman, formerly connected with Chase's stock farm in this place, is lying dangerously ill at his home in San Francisco.

The Rev. Mr. Pardee, who has been absent from Sonoma for several weeks owing to ill health, has returned and will resume his duties as pastor of the M. E. Church in this place.

Don't forget the Thanksgiving ball at Mervyn Hall, Glen Ellen, this evening. There will be a large gathering of party-going people present from Santa Rosa, Bennett Valley, Sonoma and other adjacent towns.

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El Verano Squibs

Blair Hart, Supervisor-elect, was in town Saturday.

Two Chinese have rented the Wilkinson ranch.

Ed. Morris spent Thanksgiving in the tules. He bagged ten sprig.

Chas. T. Wilkinson of Berkeley spent Saturday on his farm near here.

U. No took a moonlight walk around the block Thursday evening.

Jerry Lafferty of Glen Ellen drove his race horse through town Wednesday.

S. Ciucci and A. Pinelli were Sonoma guests at the Bellevue Hotel Wednesday.

Supervisor T. C. Putnam was over from Lakeville looking after the roads Wednesday.

Ken Weaver took in the great foot-ball game in San Francisco on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Dr. A. D. Howe of Oakland received a carload of furniture at the depot in this place Thursday.

Geo. Laux, recently a brakeman on the California Northwestern railway, was here Tuesday sporting a new hat.

Frank Ferroggiaro has sold his property in this place and will leave in a few days for the southern part of the State.

Mrs. McGill came up from Oakland Sunday and spent a few days with her son Wm. McGill on the Wilkinson place.

Pasqual Gufanti, who has spent the past six months at the Bellevue Hotel, will leave Sunday morning for Oakland.

Harvy Perkins took a sail down Sonoma creek Thursday. Returning he brought back with him three mallard and two wood duck.

It took 75 turkeys, 178 pounds of cranberries, 8 sacks of sweet potatoes and 75 mince pies to supply the demands of our town Thanksgiving day.

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SCHELVILLE.

Edward Gombert bagged seven canvasback Sunday.

Geo. Laux passed through this place Saturday.

J. Lafferty of Glen Ellen was guest of P. Hein Tuesday.

John Watt spent last Sunday in the marshes.

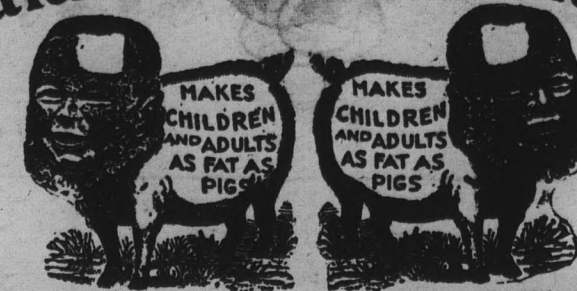
Mrs. Capt. J. P. Hauts spent last Sunday with Santa Rosa friends and relatives.

Miss Alice Bryant and Miss M. C. Burke spent Thanksgiving in Santa Rosa.

Services of the Episcopal Church will be held at the San Luis School house on Sunday, December 2d, at 11 A. M. Everybody come. W. G. Clark, rector.

Mr. and Mrs. Walkup, Miss Lydia Walkup, Ward and Herbert Walkup, Mr. and Mrs. Waugaman, Master Robt. and baby Waugaman and Miss Annie Gale spent Thanksgiving with Hon. Robt. Howe at Eden Dale.

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SUPERIOR

COURT NOTES

The calendars in both departments of the Superior Court were called on Monday. Judge Dougherty presided in department one and Judge Burnett in department two.

In department one the will of the late George Wood of Petaluma was admitted to probate and A. B. Hill and William Loftus were appointed executors without bonds.

The final account was settled and distribution was ordered of the estate of Paolo A. Sioli.

W. J. Beaver was appointed administrator of the estate of Mary J. Beaver in a bond of \$400.

An order for a sale of real property in the estate of John Porter was granted.

Probate matters continued: Estate of Lewis Hendrix and Francis Starke to November 27th, estate of Patrick Stapleton to December 10th; estate of Gustaf de Bruyne to December 3d.

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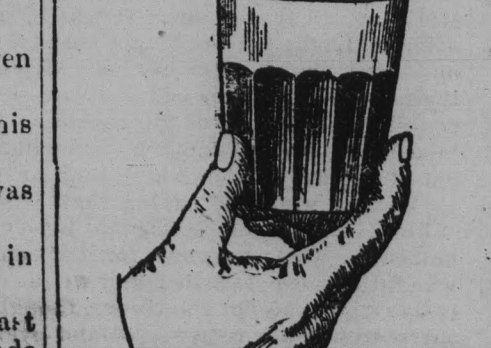
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Shooting notices for sale at this office. Ones that will keep hunters off your place.

Pity and Beauty

The most beautiful thing in the world is the baby, all dimples and joy. The most pitiful thing is that same baby, thin and in pain. And the mother does not know that a little fat makes all the difference.

Dimples and joy have gone, and left hollows and fear; the fat, that was comfort and color and curve—all but pity and love—is gone.

The little one gets no fat from her food. There is something wrong; it is either her food or food-mill. She has had no fat for weeks; is living on what she had stored in that plump little body of hers; and that is gone. She is starving for fat; it is death, be quick!

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the fat she can take; it will save her.

The genuine has this picture on it, take no other. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you.

SCOTT & BOWNE,
409 Pearl St., N. Y.
50c. and \$1.00
all druggists.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form. *

The Index-Tribune

SONOMA, DECEMBER 1, 1900.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Local Happenings

Road Master for Glen Ellen.

Supervisor-elect Blair Hart has appointed James M. Cowen as Road Overseer of Glen Ellen district. Mr. Cowen is a brother-in-law of Democratic County Committeeman Small of this place.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

BREVITIES.

A special freight train was run on the Sonoma Valley Branch Saturday.

Olive picking is in order around Glen Ellen. Large crops are ripening very satisfactory.

Fred. Bailey is graining the doors and papering the rooms of the Union Hotel.

Mr. Steuben is selling out his stock of Jewelry and Watches at cost. Everything is going very cheap.

A turnip weighing three pounds was found in the vegetable garden of the California Home at Eldridge one day this week.

Dairymen attention—Send me \$2 in stamps or currency and I will tell you how to keep butter fresh. Guaranteed. Address box 744, Denison, Iowa.

Chas. Wilson, Harness Maker, carries a full line of robes, whips, blankets and everything for horsemen. Repairing a specialty. Main street, Petaluma.

Fred. Poulson, while shoeing a horse belonging to Wm. McGill of El Verano, on Tuesday last, found a nickel embedded in the frog of the animal's foot.

Ernest Downs, who is employed in J. W. Warboy's drug store, Santa Rosa, won a prize of \$3,750 in a lottery, the drawing of which took place last month.

Help Wanted—Salesmen to sell \$20 typewriter. Will do equally as good work as any \$100 machine. Good pay to hustlers. 710 New York Life Bldg, Chicago.

Geo. W. Rodehaver of El Laurei has closed down his butter making plant for the present and is now shipping his cream from Lakeville to San Francisco per the steamer Gold.

The Union Hotel will change hands on the 15th of this month. It is said that Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartin will be the new lessees and that the hotel will be thoroughly renovated and newly furnished throughout.

Mr. Steuben, our local jeweler, is now taking orders for Christmas goods. Parties desiring anything in his line should certainly give him their orders, so he can get up a good line for them to select from. By so doing you will be able to get your goods much cheaper.

By purchasing your harness at Chas. Wilson's in Petaluma you will save money and be thoroughly satisfied. All the best made whips are for sale here. Also oils, buggy robes, saddles, etc. First class repairing done on the shortest notice. Just give him a call and see for yourself.

The Ladies' Aid Society invite you to spend Tuesday evening, December 4th, at Union Hall. Useful articles, suitable for Christmas gifts, will be on sale. The elocutionary ability of Mrs. Minnesota McBain Thompson, coupled with the musical talent of Miss Hope and Mr. Maxwell, assures delightful entertainment. Refreshments will, as usual, be served.

Carl Foerster, the well-known cooper and wine maker, formerly a resident of this place, was in town last Wednesday and Thursday. He is now located in Windsor, in this county, where he will shortly erect a large cooperage establishment. Mr. Foerster is an expert in his business and in the past ten years has turned out the cooperage for many of the largest wineries in the county.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and la grippe during the past few years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia. Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue, Chicago, one of the most prominent retail druggists in that city, in speaking of this, says: "We recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the la grippe in many cases, as it not only gives prompt and complete recovery, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia." For sale by F. Duhring.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE GOLD.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

AUCTION SALE.

Effects of Union Hotel to be Disposed of.

A. A. Enke of the Union Hotel will close up to-day and on Monday, December 10th, will sell everything in the house at public auction. The sale will commence at 10 A. M. and will continue until all the furniture, etc., in the hotel are disposed of. Parties who desire to purchase at private sale can do so between now and the day of the public auction. This is a good opportunity to get a bargain, as everything will be sold without reserve. For further particulars see ad. in another column.

The Spreckels Well.

The artesian well on the Spreckels ranch is now down over 1,000 feet, but flowing water has not yet been struck. The water, however, rises within a few feet of the surface. The capacity of the well is being tested this week with the aid of compressed air. It is the intention of Mr. Spreckels to use the well for supplying an immense artificial lake on the place with water. Thousands of dollars have been expended in boring the well and casing it with six-inch pipe.

Serious Illness of a Pioneer Woman.

Grandma Cook, the oldest pioneer woman in the State, who came to Sonoma in 1849, is lying very ill at the home of Mrs. Mollie Pohley in this place. The old lady is in her 94th year.

A THANKSGIVING.

BY BENJAMIN WEED.

For what may I thanksgiving make
On this high day of mirth,
In this high company of friends
That grace this lovely hearth?

The endless multitude of things
That bid me pour my thanks
Is like the sands that catch the waves
On Nilus' sunny banks.

And so why name the few that breathe
In this short span can name?
Because amid the countless throng
Are jewels flashing flame.

The quiet hospitality
With which this board is crowned,
The priceless gift of gentleness
With which it all is bound,

The magic touch that makes us one,
That lets me take your hand
And find companionship and trust,
Are rubies in the sand.

And so, if I may breathe a prayer
Unto the God above,
I pray that He will guard all safe
Our only life—our love.

Gaught in a Bear Trap.

Caught in the tooth-shod jaws of a bear trap, Ray Hollis battled with the storm and what seemed certain death on the steep hills back of Chileno Valley all of Tuesday night, says the Petaluma Courier. When found by his brother in the morning he was almost unconscious and his leg was lacerated. Late Tuesday he went to inspect his trap. He hunted around for it until dark, and having given up his quest, started for home, when he was caught in the trap. For some time it was feared the injured man would die from the exposure, but he has survived and his leg may be saved.

Chopped His Finger Nearly Off

Ezra Estes, while chopping wood on the Skinner ranch, Tuesday, nearly severed the forefinger of his left hand between the first and second joints with the sharp blade of an axe. He made his way to Dr. Davis' office, who had to remove a small piece of the bone of the injured member. The finger was then sewed up and the digit will be as good as ever in a few weeks.

Van Every vs. Maxwell.

A. J. Van Every of this place has brought suit in the Superior Court of this county against Geo. H. Maxwell, the well-known attorney and land promoter, to recover \$467.74, amount of damages recovered against defendant some time ago. Mr. Van Every, although over seventy-two years of age, is his own attorney in this action.

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SENATOR PORTER ASHE LOSES HIS SUIT.

Must Give up the Beltane Ranch to Mrs. Bell.

The suit instituted in the Superior Court of this county by Mrs. Teresa Bell against Senator Porter Ashe to recover \$1000 rent due on the Beltane ranch, Glen Ellen, and to regain possession of the place, was decided by Judge Burnett last Tuesday. Mrs. Bell was awarded possession of the ranch and given judgment for the amount sued for. An appeal will in all probability be taken to the Supreme Court by the Rainhart Stock Farm Corporation of which Senator Ashe is a large stockholder.

The County Taxes.

Monday was the last day for the payment of the first installment of State and County taxes at the office of County Tax Collector Frank P. Grace. In coin and checks the last day's payments amounted to about \$35,000, a very good day's business.

The past few weeks have been very busy ones for the Tax Collector and his staff of deputies. They have worked long hours, night and day. Mr. Grace estimates that \$260,000 has passed into the county treasury as the fruits of the tax payments which closed Monday night. This is a very good showing. Of course a number of property owners paid both installments at once.—*Santa Rosa Press Democrat.*

WAGON AND HORSES WENT OVER THE GRADE.

Thrilling Experience of the Tarrant Brothers Near Melitta.

One of the most dangerous places on the county road between this place and Santa Rosa is that just beyond Melitta. The road at that point runs along the steep banks of Santa Rosa creek and in places is not wide enough to allow the passage of two teams going in opposite directions. Numerous accidents have occurred there.

On Thursday of last week as Julius and Joe Tarrant of Kenwood were returning home from Santa Rosa in a spring wagon the span of horses balked just as they reached this dangerous piece of road and backed the wagon off the steep grade. The vehicle pulled the unruly animals after them and horses, wagon and both men landed at the bottom of the steep embankment. Julius fell directly under the wagon, on top of which were the struggling horses, and an eye-witness says it was simply miraculous that he escaped having the life crushed out of him. Joe was thrown clear of the wreck, and with the assistance of a number of Italian vegetable gardeners who came to his assistance, succeeded in releasing his brother from his perilous position. Both men were slightly hurt. The horses escaped with a few scratches but the wagon was completely wrecked.

For the safety of the traveling public a stout board fence ought to be erected by the county along this dangerous spot, which has been so prolific of accidents the past few years.

Blooded Stock Sale.

On Saturday last eight yearling colts were shipped to San Francisco from J. B. Chase's blooded stock farm in this place. The youngsters will be disposed of at auction in that city and will no doubt bring fancy figures as they all belong to a family of noted running horses.

The sale took place at the Occidental Horse Exchange, Tuesday evening, and the nags brought the following figures, which are considered a sacrifice:

Ch. f., by Trentola-Catalina, \$100; P. Archibald; Salmo, ch. f., by The Judge-Miss Lou, \$100; J. Kitchen; ch. f., by Dare, Mischief, \$45; M. O'Dea; Coalunga, ch. f., by Trentola-Constance M., \$55; A. Johnson; Orangia, ch. c., by Eolo-Centella, \$105; W. Murry; Trentgold, b. c., by Trentola-Mari-gold, \$200; E. Lanigan; Discovery, br. c., by Trentola-Mystery, \$225; W. Murry; Alpheus, b. c., by Trentola-Arethusa, \$150; J. Smith; b. f., by Del Norte-Rebecca, \$200; A. Vaughn.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. E. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. West & Traux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Walzing, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Hall's family Pills are the best.

COME TO US.

We will sell you better goods at less prices than can be found elsewhere. Hale's buying for 7 large stores in the largest cities of California enables us to give the best values obtainable.

Ladies' Tailor Suits and Jackets

We are selling some handsome suits at \$10.00 to \$15. Ladies' New Style Jackets extra value at \$5.00 to \$6.95. Ladies' Fur Collars and Capes prices \$5.50 to \$10.00. Ladies' handsome Plush Capes \$3.00 to \$5.00. Children's Jackets and Capes \$1.50 to \$5.00. Ladies' and Children's Golf Caps \$3.75 to \$10.00.

Men's Overcoats.

We can show you the largest and best stock Men's and Boy's Overcoats to be found in town, price for Gent's \$4.50 to \$15.00, price for Boy's \$1.50 to \$7.50.

Good Warm Blankets.

Here is where we can beat them all come and see us. White and Gray Blanket Sheets per pair 50c to \$1.50. White and Gray Wool Blankets \$2.50 to \$5.00. Extra fine white wool Blankets \$6.50 to \$12.00. Vicuna or Scarlet Blankets \$5.00 to \$7.50.

Woolen and Lined Gloves.

Ladies' and Children's Cashmere Gloves 25c to 50c per pair. Men's and Boy's heavy woolen Gloves 25c to 50c per pair. Men's heavy lined Work or Dress Gloves 50c to \$1.50 per pair.

December Fashions are here.

Patterns 10c and 15c.

HALE BROS. & CO.,
PETALUMA CAL.

MET A VIOLENT DEATH.

An Old Sonoma Boy Killed While Hunting in British Columbia.

A dispatch from Grand Forks, British Columbia, says that Joseph Fawcett, a nephew of Douglas Church of this place, met with a violent death last Saturday.

Young Fawcett, while out deer hunting in the mountains about twenty miles from Grand Forks, slipped and fell over a precipice and was instantly killed, his neck being broken by the fall. His body was discovered the next day by a search party, one of whom was his brother Frank. Joseph Fawcett was born and reared in this valley and for years attended the San Luis school. He left Sonoma for Merced county a number of years ago. He was a professional hunter and trapper and was 29 years of age.

Death of Mrs. G. L. Maxwell.

Mrs. Clara L. Maxwell, for many years a resident of this valley, died at her home near this place last Saturday about noon. Mrs. Maxwell had long been a sufferer, and for a number of years has been confined to her home and her death was not entirely unexpected. She was a highly cultured woman and the mother of Geo. H. Maxwell, the well-known lawyer; Hugh G. Maxwell, the gifted musician and artist, and Miss Amy Maxwell.

On Monday afternoon impressive funeral services were held at the Maxwell home by Rev. C. D. Milliken of the Congregational church in the presence of relatives and friends of deceased.

Mrs. Maxwell was a native of Iowa and aged 67 years. The remains were shipped to Oakland Tuesday morning, where they will be interred in one of the cemeteries of that city beside those of her husband, who died many years ago.

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GRAND AUCTION SALE

—AT THE—
UNION HOTEL.

All the Furniture, Carpets, Dining Room, Kitchen, Pantry and Bar-room effects of the Union Hotel will be sold at Public Auction, on the premises, on

Monday, Dec. 10, 1900.

Sale commences at 10 A. M., and will be continued until all the articles are disposed of. Everything goes without reserve.

Terms—Cash, U. S. gold coin.

Parties desiring to purchase at private sale can do so between Saturday, December 1st, and Monday, December 10th.

A. A. ENKE.

Sonoma, Dec. 1, 1900.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

SOCIETY GOSSIP.

Miss Celeste Granice came up from Berkeley last Friday.

Will Appleton is here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Appleton. Blair Hart was in town Saturday.

H. L. Jones of San Francisco was a guest at "Terrace Hill" Sunday. Ben. Weed visited Santa Rosa Friday evening and Saturday.

Chas. Cutter returned from the city last Saturday evening. Paul Perasso transacted business in San Francisco Saturday.

Miss Katie McDonnell, after a pleasant visit in San Francisco, has returned to her home in Sonoma.

Frank Thierkoff was a Sonoma visitor in San Francisco Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Morse, who resides on the King place, visited the metropolis one day this week.

Mrs. T. Nicholson spent several days the past week visiting in the city.

Mrs. J. T. Crane, wife of Conductor Crane of Glen Ellen, visited Santa Rosa on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Poulson have moved into the O'Brien house on Napa street.

Dr. D. G. Atwood, formerly of this place, has been elected President of the Cloverdale Literary Club.

Miss Theo Bates left last Wednesday for San Francisco where she took in the ball game.

Miss Gladys Small entertained a few of her friends last Monday afternoon in honor of her thirteenth birthday.

Mrs. G. H. Hotz and Miss Annie Pemberton visited San Francisco last Saturday, where they took notes on up-to-date millinery.

Geo. Laux has returned home after an absence of several months in Tiburon, where he has been in the employ of the California North western Railway.

The election of officers of the Glen Ellen Grange will be held at the next meeting, December 7th. The Grange will hold evening meetings commencing after the New Year, on the first Friday of every month.

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PILLS
CURE SICK HEADACHE
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PURIFY THE BLOOD.
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H. H. GRANICE, Proprietor.

SONOMA, SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 1900.

INVOLUNTARY.

Borrow and pity had clutched my heart,
Lashed its chords to their infinite chains
They watched, dull eyed, as I sat apart,
A pallid face at the gates of pain.

Torturing thoughts from an empty past
Surged within, like a thrashing rack
Of hungry wolves which before the blast
Fretted the snows in the beaten track.

Colder than where they gibber and glide
My future beckoned across life's way;
I turned and shivered and wept to hide
Where ruined hope on my heartstone lay.

When, lo, a presence! I saw him stand
Rays and smiling, a dimpled child,
Draw near and eye me, with outstretched hand,
"Catch me who will! I am free and wild!"

He took my fingers the damp had chilled
To his little red mouth's wooing breath;
He touched my hair that the night had dried
With wan, wet dew of despair and death.

Round my heart he threw warm red roses,
Bound and pulled me with artful grace;
Faintly sweet with imperious poses
He clasped me close in his soft embrace.

Trembling, frightened, with feet that stumbled,
"Tell me thy name, oh, thou pretty boy!"
He laughed at my voice that for had humbled,
"Ho, foolish coward, my name is Joy!"

—Julien Gordon in Collier's Weekly.

The Way Some Men Love

The Story of a Man's Sacrifice.

By Elizabeth Voss.

"She'll be hard to tether, Kitty will. It'll be like lassoing a butterfly, an I 'low as the man as can do it ain't appeared in camp yet," said Joe Bartlett meditatively. "As for me, I ain't got the show of a chance. How in thunder can I expect a dainty little girl like Kitty to care for a rough, ignorant feller like me?"

He took the pipe from his mouth and, knocking the ashes from it, filled it carefully, but it was evident that his mind was not upon his task.

"Can't even speak grammar as I'd ort to," he muttered with disgust. "But they ain't nothing I wouldn't do for Kitty—Lord love her—even to studying a grammar book."

Joe was modest. He had no self esteem whatever and undervalued his merits. That so remarkable a creature as Kitty should ever love him was to be considered only in the light of an impossibility. If his love became hopeful, he reviled himself and blushed at his temerity.

Yet Joe was foreman of the new mine at Clear Creek camp and the most important man in the place.

"No, the man ain't arrived yet," continued Joe. "an when he does—he's turned a little pale—when he does God help Joe Bartlett!"

That evening, as was his habit, Joe was at Amos Carter's cabin. There were two reasons why he liked to spend an evening with Carter—he enjoyed swapping yarns with him over their pipes and Kitty happened to be Carter's daughter. Kitty never suspected his love. Joe knew that she did not return it, and he was not a man to wear his heart on his sleeve. If any one had asked her about her opinion of Joe, she would have confessed frankly that she was almost as fond of him as of her father.

In the midst of a story of the plains which he was telling for the twentieth time there was a loud rap on the door. Carter went to open it. A stranger stood on the threshold, a tall, slender, well made young fellow, wearing the garb of the city bred man.

"Is this Mr. Carter's place?" he asked.

"That's my name, young feller. Will you come in?"

"I was told," said the newcomer as he complied with the invitation, "that I should find Mr. Bartlett here."

Joe came forward and offered his toll hardened hand to the stranger.

"You are Mr. Ames, the superintendent's son, I guess. He wrote me you were coming up for a spell, but I didn't 'low we'd see you till the next stage. I am glad to see you, sir," he said heartily.

A certain indifference or indolence which seemed habitual vanished from the young man's face and manner. He held out his hand frankly.

"Thank you. I have come to rusticants. I have a bad reputation at home. It arises from a slight difference between the governor and myself. I am conscientiously opposed to work."

"I am supposed to take father's place here, but I have perfect confidence in you, Bartlett, and I shall take it as a favor if you will forget to remind me of the responsibilities of the situation."

Again his boyish laugh rang out, and the others laughed sympathetically.

It was unmistakably a good deal of a dandy. His linen was as immaculate as it would have been in the city, and the hand from which a diamond flashed was as white and shapely as a woman's.

"We must be good friends, Bartlett," he continued, "for I want you to let me down easy on the labor problem. Dad wants to make life a treadmill for me."

A broad smile from his hearers greeted this statement.

"I hope you know what work is, young feller," said Carter, his smile ending in an audible chuckle.

Clay Ames never knew what reply he made. His eyes for the first time had met Kitty's, and he forgot everything else but the tall slip of a girl with the wild rose face.

In less than a week everybody in camp knew that the superintendent's son was in love with Kitty Carter. Half the men in the camp were his rivals, but they all liked the young boss, who had made himself one of them from the first night of his arrival. Kitty's ways were maddening. Her willful heart favored any one, even her handsome city lover, she discreetly kept the knowledge to herself.

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"It would have killed her," whispered Kitty, laying her tear wet cheek against her lover's face. "But Joe did not care for women. I am sure he never loved any one."

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